

At the same time that I received the WIDEX LOGO hearing aids, I was issued a set of Public Health programmable, remotely controlled WIDEX QUATTRO hearing aids. These hearing aids are useful with marginal listening conditions (such as those resulting from loudspeaker systems and speaker microphones) in international meetings. While these hearing aids detect some interference from nearby GSM phones, the buzzing sound created by that interference is low and tolerable and can easily be alleviated by moving slightly away from the source of the interference (such as moving my head around 20 cm or by shifting my position slightly).

I can use the WIDEX QUATTRO hearing aids with hands-free kits, which several mobile phone manufacturers now offer with their GSM phones. Those kits consists of a telephone plug (similar to that used for a Walkman) and a lose Microphone. The price of such a kit is less than 40 \$. The kit allows for the necessary distance from the GSM phone and use of the kit is often more comfortable for hearing aid users, since closing the ear with a telephone can cause howling from acoustic feedback. A Danish manufacturer is currently developing a Telecoil adapter allowing inductive coupling with GSM phones, thus solving both of these problems.

Finally, the interference problem currently is not an issue in Denmark. My Company receives virtually no complaints form customers on the subject.

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Taastrup July 31st, 1995

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